

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
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Wayne D. COMPER	:	Confirmation Number: 6164
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Application No.: 10/721,351	:	Group Art Unit: 1648
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Filed: November 26, 2003	:	Examiner: Stacy Brown Chen
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For: METHOD FOR KIDNEY DISEASE TREATMENT BY DRUG INTERVENTION		

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop January 22, 2008
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated January 22, 2008, now due to expire April 22, 2008, be extended for three month(s) and set to expire on July 22, 2008.

Please charge the extension fee of \$525.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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